Inder the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO Docket Number (Optional) THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES. MAI-14602/16 n re Application of Robert Aharonov et al. Application Number Filed 10/645.972-Conf. #8385 August 22, 2003 For ENGINE COMPONENT WITH WEAR-RESISTANT COATING Art Unit Examiner 1775 E. D. Ivey Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner. The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)) 500.00 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1180 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed. I am the applicant /inventor. /Ronald W. Citkowski/ Signature assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) Ronald W. Citkowski is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96) Typed or printed name x attorney or agent of record. Registration number 31,005 (248) 647-6000 Telephone number attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1,34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34. September 20, 2006 Date NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below\*.

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